

English Grade Improvement Award Project

(Applicable to the certificate acquired/ grade improved after school year 2021)

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1. The project is conducted according to Item 3, Article 3, of Higher Education Sprout Project to Develop & Award Professional Talent Guidelines of the National Chin-Yi University of Technology.

2. The project is implemented to encourage students to study English, increase English ability levels by acquiring an English proficiency certificate, and examine the learning effects.

3. Students, after enrolling with the National Chin-Yi University of Technology, are required to take an English proficiency test which is recognized by the Language Center and use the test score as the first test score. Meanwhile, students are required to take English courses offered by NCUT. After the course is finished, students must take another English test which is recognized by the Language Center and use the score as the second test score. Students who achieve grade improvement standard will be granted a cash award. Specific project guidelines are as follows:

(1) Grade level of improvement and cash award are listed below:

Grade Level for Award	TOEIC	CSEPT Level 1	GEPT	TOEFL IBT	IELTS	Cash Award
Grade 1	◎200-299 # 100 points improved	◎90-169 # 20 points improved	/	/	/	1000
Grade 2	◎300-386 # 100 points improved	◎170-199 # 20 points improved	/	/	/	1200
Grade 3	◎387-479 # 80 points	◎200-219 # 20 points	◎ Intermediate Level First Test	◎38- 41 # 10 points	◎3.5 # 1.5	1500

	improved	improved		improved	grade level advanced	
Grade 4	◎480-549 # 70 points improved	☒ 220-229 # 10 points improved				1800
Grade 5	◎550-649 # 60 points improved	◎ 230 or above # 5 points improved	◎ Intermediate Level Second Test	◎42- 55 # 10 points improved	◎4-4.5 # 1.5 grade level advanced	2200
Grade 6	◎650-749 # 50 points improved		◎High Intermediate Level First Test	◎56- 71 # 10 points improved	◎5-5.5 # 1.5 grade level advanced	2600
Grade 7	◎750 or above # 40 points improved		◎High Intermediate Level Second Test or above	◎ 72 or above # 5 points improved	◎ 6 or above # 1 grade level advanced	3100

Note: ◎ represents second test grade ; # advanced range

(2) When the first and second test scores of the English proficiency test are different, the score placement level of the first and second tests are compared. Students who advance more than one grade level will be granted the cash award according to the grade level of the second test.

(3) Students of NCUT that achieve award standards for Item 1, Section 2, and apply for the first time are able to apply for a grade improvement cash award and the registration fee subsidy for the English proficiency test. The application and receipt of a registration fee subsidy are limited to one time only.

(4) Students of NCUT that achieve award standards for Item 1, Section 2 for the second time are able to apply for a grade improvement cash award. The highest score recorded by the Language Center will be used as the criteria for comparison.

(5) The Deadline for Applications:

The deadline for applications is October 31 for the first semester, and April 30 for the second semester. The first test and second test certificates / photocopy of the transcript, a photocopy of the student ID, a photocopy of the student's bank book

must be submitted to the Language Center to apply. After review of the application papers, the cash will be awarded to successful students.

6. The funds required for the project are granted from the NCUT Higher Education Sprout Project funds.

7. The project was approved in a Program Supervision and Evaluation meeting and was announced and implemented after approval of the principal. The outlined procedure is subject to change following revision.